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Hongkong, September 4, 1879.

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No. 1, Queen's Road East.

Hongkong, February 15, 1881.

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(Incorporated 7th & 18th March, 1848.)

RECOGNISED BY THE INTERNATIONAL CONVENTION OF 30th APRIL, 1862.

CAPITAL FULLY PAID-UP, £2,200,000.

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The Hongkong Agency receives Fixed Deposits on Terms to be ascertained on application, grants Drafts and Credits on all parts of the World, and transacts every description of Banking Exchange Business.

R. G. VOUTIERMONT,  
Manager, Shanghai.

Hongkong, May 20, 1879.

## Notices of Firms.

### NOTICE

MR. ERNST LUDWIG REUTER has been admitted a PARTNER in our Firm.

PUSTAU & Co.

Hongkong and Canton, February 1, 1881. mrl

### NOTICE

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Undersigned have this day commenced Business at Hongkong as COAL MERCHANTS and COMMISSION AGENTS.

AR YON & Co.,  
789, Praya Central.

Dated the 3rd day of January, 1881.

## Notices of Firms.

### NOTICE

THE CO-PARTNERSHIP OF SHARP AND DANBY having been DISSOLVED by mutual consent, it is requested that all Sums Due, and all Claims be sent in to Mr. Sharp for Liquidation of the firm before the 28th day of FEBRUARY instant.

Mr. DANBY will carry on the business of Architect, Surveyor, and Civil Engineer, under his own name.

Mr. SHARP will continue his Land and Estate Agency, under his former style of Sharp & Co. at the Office hitherto occupied by Sharp and Danby, No. 13, Queen's Road, opposite the Chartered Bank of India, Australia, and China.

GRANVILLE SHARP,  
WILLIAM DANBY.

Hongkong, February 1, 1881. mrl

### NOTICE

MR. NICOLAUS AUGUST SIEBS has this day been admitted a PARTNER in our Firm at Hongkong and in China, and Mr. ALEXANDER WASSERFALL has been authorized to SIGN the Firm per Procuration.

SIEMSEN & Co.

Hongkong, January 1, 1881. ap5

### NOTICE

MR. WILLIAM WALKINSHAW has RETIRED from our Firm, and his share and RESPONSIBILITY have CEASED. The Business will be carried on as heretofore by the remaining Partners, viz.—Messrs PHILLIPS RYDE, EDWARD CAREY SMITH, and ARTHUR WELLSLEY WALKINSHAW.

TURNER & Co.

Hongkong, January 1, 1881.

### To Let.

TO LET—FURNISHED.

1, WEST VILLAGE, CASTLE ROAD.

From 1st June to 30th November next.

Apply to H. G. THOMSETT.

Hongkong, February 10, 1881. fe24

### TO LET.

N. O. 3, PEDDAR'S HILL.

"NULAH Side," Polkolum Road, at present occupied by Mr. J. M. ARMSTRONG.

Apply to DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co.

Hongkong, February 8, 1881.

HONGKONG WHARF & GODOWNS.

GOODS RECEIVED ON STORAGE at Moderate Rates, in FIRST-CLASS GODOWNS, under European supervision; and VESSELS Discharged alongside the Wharf, on favourable Terms, with quick despatch. Also entire GODOWNS to be let.

MEYER & Co.

Hongkong, February 1, 1881. mrl

### TO LET.

N. MARINE LOT No. 65, FIRST-CLASS GRANITE GODOWNS.

Apply to MEYER & Co.

Hongkong, July 25, 1879.

### TO LET.

FIRST FLOOR AND GROUND FLOOR of House No. 4, Praya East (known as the BLUE HOUSE); Possession on 1st of October.

Also, The HOUSE opposite the WANCHI PRS, Marine Lot No. 29, containing 8 Rooms, etc., etc., with Gas and Water laid on; Immediate possession.

Apply to MEYER & Co.

Hongkong, September 2, 1880.

### TO LET.

THE DWELLING HOUSE—No. 31, WELLINGTON STREET.

ROOMS in CLUB CHAMBERS, suitable for Offices or Chambers.

The DWELLING HOUSE, No. 46, PRAY STREET, below CAINE ROAD; possession from 1st February next.

The BUNGALOW, No. 2, SHELLEY STREET.

Apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co.

Hongkong, February 2, 1880.

GODOWNS—TO LET.

PRAYA EAST AND WANCHAI ROAD.

For Particulars, apply to SIEMSEN & Co.

Hongkong, January 21, 1881.

### TO BE LET.

A Large 6-Roomed HOUSE, Furnished or Unfurnished, in the best neighbourhood.

Apply to "HONGKONG" China Mail Office.

Hongkong, January 28, 1881.

### FOR SALE.

JULES MUMM & Co.'s CHAMPAGNE.

Quarts, \$16 per doz. Case.

Pints, \$17 per doz. Case.

GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.

Hongkong, February 2, 1880.

## For Sale.

### LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.

HAVE RECEIVED EX "GLEN EARN," "CLIFFIFFER," &c.—

WHITAKER'S ALMANACKS.

NOVELS and PICTURE BOOKS.

CABINET PHOTOGRAPHS.

PHOTOGRAPHIC ALBUMS.

MEERSCHAUM and BRIAR PIPES.

CIGAR and CIGARETTE HOLDERS.

"AUTOMATON PATENT" UMBRELLAS.

THE LATEST SHAPES IN DRAB and BLACK FELT HATS.

FANCY SCARVES and TIES.

WHITE and COLOURED KID GLOVES.

COLOURED SKIN MATS.

RUGS.

COURIER BAGS.

PORTMANTEAUX and VALISES.

DRESSING BAGS and CASES.

TENNIS RATS, PRESSES and BALLS.

Hongkong, February 2, 1881. mrl

### KELLY & WALSH

HAVE JUST RECEIVED DESCRIPTIVE ATLAS OF ANATOMY.

"Men of the Time," new edition.

"The Flag of the United States," Gekko's "Pre-Artistic Europe."

"Handy Book of Villa Architecture," St. John's "Wild Coast of Nippon."

"Food for the Dyspeptic and Gouty," Huxley's "Gray Fish."

Dr. Kurr's "New Guide to Canton," A New STOCK OF PURSES, CARD CASES, MONEY CASES, WRITING CASES, and OTHER LEATHER GOODS.

SCRAP BOOK PICTURES.

REVISED ENGLISH BIBLES.

Humber's "Manners and Customs of Japan."

History Stamp Albums.

Edkins' "Chinese Buddhism."

Ross's "The Manchus or the Reigning Dynasties of China."

Reed's "Japan."

Packet's "Rare Postage Stamps."

Hongkong, February 9, 1881.

### Messrs SAYLE & Co.

BEG to inform their Customers and the Public that they intend MOVING their STOCK on or about the 1st of MARCH next to the Temporary PREMISES known as CHONG'S STORE, adjoining Messrs LANE, CRAWFORD & Co., and directly opposite to the HONGKONG DISPENSARY, pending the Alteration and Re-building of the "VICTORIA EXCHANGE." Previous however to the change they propose during the Next Month "FEBRUARY" to have a GRAND CLEARANCE SALE of Old and slightly Damaged STOCK, comprising:—

In the Ladies' Show Room.—A large Accumulation of REMNANTS in SILKS, DRESS STUFFS, GALLOONS, LACES, RIBBONS, &c., &c. Also, a Quantity of COLLARS, CUFFS, TIES, HOSIERY, GLOVES, SCARVES, &c., &c., which will be offered at Prices considerably under Cost.

In the Tailoring and Gentlemen's Outfitting Department.—A large Lot of CLOTHES, HOSIERY, HATS, SCARVES, TIES and BOOTS, will also be offered at considerable Reductions during the Month.

In the Furnishing Department only a Discount of 10 % (TEN PER CENT.) will be given off all GOODS purchased in FEBRUARY.

### TERMS: CASH.

SALE TO COMMENCE ON THE 1st OF FEBRUARY, 1881.

SAYLE & Co.,

VICTORIA EXCHANGE.

Hongkong, January 27, 1881. fe27

## Auctions.

### PUBLIC AUCTION OF ORCHIDS.

LANE, CRAWFORD & Co. will Sell by Public Auction, in their Sale Room, Praya, on

WEDNESDAY,

the 16th Instant, at Noon,—

A FINE COLLECTION OF ORCHIDS.

Healthy and just arrived from Manila.

Terms.—As usual.

LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.

Hongkong, February 14, 1881. fe16

### PUBLIC AUCTION.

LANE, CRAWFORD & Co. have been instructed to sell by Public Auction, at the Kowloon Dock, on

THURSDAY,

the 17th Instant, at 10 o'clock,—

A Quantity of OLD TEAKWOOD, OLD IRON, and OLD WIRE RIGGING.

Off the Revenue Cruiser "Ling Feng."

Terms.—As usual.

LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.

Hongkong, February 14, 1881. fe17

### PUBLIC AUCTION.

SALE OF VALUABLE CURIOS.

THE Undersigned has received instructions from a GENTLEMAN about to leave the Colony to sell by Public Auction, on

FRIDAY,

the 18th February, at 2.30 p.m., at his Sales Room, Peddar's Wharf Building,—

A Valuable Collection of CHINESE and JAPANESE CURIOS, consisting of:—

CHOICE ARTICLES of BRONZ and WHITE PORCELAIN, IVORY, KOTO, SERRAVAL, CHINESE, CHAMPA, AKAMARA BOWWALKS with Specimens of Scattered Ware, STONE BOTTLES, NERUOKIN and BROSCHES.

Also,

3 Old JAPANESE SCROLLS, containing Pictures, and ACCOUNTS of the DAMIENS, and their RETAINERS; and some CHOICE PIPES, &c., &c.

Catalogues will be shortly issued, and the Articles will be on view on Thursday, the 17th Instant.

Terms.—Cash on delivery.

G. R. LAMMEBT,

Auctioneer.

Hongkong, February 11, 1881. fe18

## Auctions.

### PUBLIC AUCTION.

THE Wreck of the Steamship "DOUGLAS," as she lies in the vicinity of PASSAGE ISLAND, HAITIAN STRAITS, together with ALL CARGO which may be in her, will be SOLD by PUBLIC AUCTION,

For Account of the Concerned, At NOON, on

MONDAY,

the 28th Instant, at the Office of the Undersigned.

DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co.

Hongkong, February 10, 1881. fe28

### FOR SALE.

by

### PUBLIC AUCTION,

On 31st MARCH Next,

(Unless previously disposed of by Private Contract), the

THREE PLOTS OF

LAND,

Together with the

BUILDINGS THEREON,

Situate in the Foreign Concession at Yokohama, Japan, and

Numbered 34, 35 & 65

On the Register of British Land Renters, and now in the occupation of Messrs GARRAS & Co.

Particulars to be obtained from

W. H. TAYLOR,

Yokohama; or

RICHARD ASPINALL,

21, Mincing Lane, London.

Feb. 1, 1881.

THE "FAR EAST."

THE RETURN OF 1878 WANTED.

Apply at this Office.

Hongkong, October 4, 1880.

## Auctions.

### PUBLIC AUCTION.

THE Undersigned has received instructions, from a GENTLEMAN about to go Home, to sell by Public Auction, on

WEDNESDAY,

the 16th February, 1881, at 2 o'clock p.m., at his Sales Room, Queen's Road,—

A Collection of Old CHINESE and JAPANESE CURIOS, comprising:—

RARE OLD PORCELAIN, CHINESE, BANG DE BEUR, CHONG-KING, TAI-KING, OLD BROSCHES, STONE BOTTLES, BOOCHOW and POOCHOO LACQUERS, EMBROIDERIES, SCROLLS, AMOUR, SWORDS, &c., &c.

Catalogues on Tuesday, Articles on view on Monday.

Terms of Sale.—As customary.

J. M. ARMSTRONG,

Auctioneer.

Hongkong, February 14, 1881. fe16

### NOTICE

ON the 24th Next March, at 10 o'clock a.m., at the Residence of the MARINE COMMANDER GENERAL in Manila, a New AUCTION will be Held, the first one previously announced having been without result, for the SALE of the TWO SPANISH TROOPSHIPS "Marques de la Victoria" and "Fátima."

For further Particulars, apply to

A. MENOARINI,

Consul for Spain.

Hongkong, February 14, 1881. fe21











